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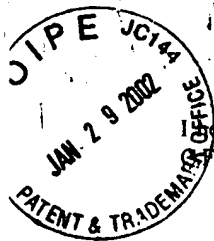
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| Applicant: | Williams | | |
| Invention: | PAINT ROLLER WITH FLEXURE JOINT | | |

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Dear Sir;

Enclosed for filing with the United States Patent and Trademark Office are the documents listed below.

Notice to File Corrected Application Papers

- ☒ Copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers.
- ☒ Substitute Drawings.

Petition for Extension of Time

- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time (Two-Months).
- ☒ A check covering the extension fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) in the amount of \$200.

Small Entity Status

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. 1.27.

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Respectfully submitted,

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